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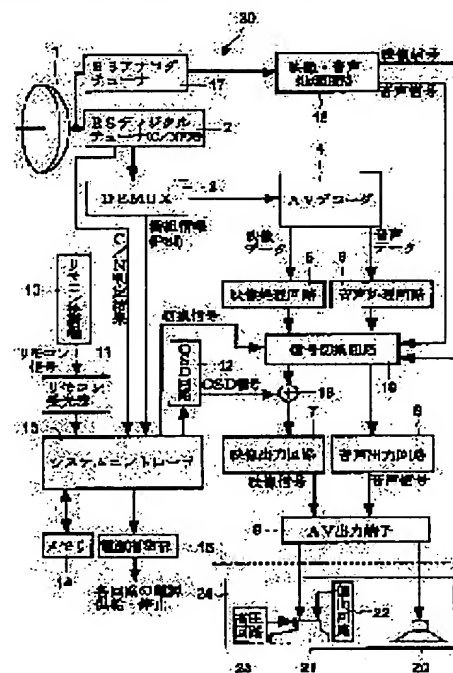
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(54) BROADCAST RECEIVER AND DIGITAL BROADCASTING METHOD

(57)Abstract:

PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED: To provide a broadcast receiver capable of receiving an analog broadcast without any troublesome operation if it is difficult to receive a digital broadcast of the same program.

SOLUTION: A broadcasting station puts information regarding whether an analog broadcast and a digital broadcast of the same program are being broadcasted by simulcasting, and sends them. A receiver 30 receives and holds the information in a memory 14. In the case of C/N deterioration, the receiver 30 reads the information regarding the simulcasting out of the memory 14 and controls a BS analog tuner 17 to receive the same program of the analog broadcast of simulcasting. Then, a switching signal is sent out to a signal switching circuit 19 to output the video and sound of the same program of the analog broadcast.



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